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Mail Stop Sequence

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FOR PATENT APPLICATIONS CONTAINING
NUCLEOTIDE AND/OR AMINO ACID SEQUENCES

In response to the communication dated June 6, 2005 (copy enclosed), applicants submit herewith a Sequence Listing in computer readable form as required by 37 CFR §1.824. In addition, applicants submit an initial Sequence Listing as required under 37 CFR §1.823(a). This sequence listing was inadvertently omitted from the submission filed on April 5, 2005.

Applicants respectfully request entry of the paper copy and computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing filed herewith for the instant application. Furthermore, applicants request that the paper copy of the Sequence Listing be inserted into the specification following the Abstract.

I hereby state that the content of the paper and computer-readable copies of the Sequence Listing, submitted in accordance with 37 CFR §§1.821 (f) and (g), respectively, are the same.

Furthermore, the sequence listing contains no new matter; SEQ ID NO:1, the Rad polypeptide sequence, is shown in Figure 1 of Zhu et al., 1995, JBC 270:4805-4812, at page 4807. SEQ ID NOs:2 (nm23H1 nucleotide) and 3 (nm23H1 polypeptide)) are described in Figure 4 of Steeg et al., 1988, J. Natl. Cancer Inst. 80: 200-204. SEQ ID NOs: 4 (nm23H2

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nucleotide) and 5 (nm23H2 polypeptide)) are described in Figure 1 of Stahl et al., 1991, Cancer Res 51:445-449. Please note that the codon "tgg" (nts 487-489 of SEQ ID NO:2), which corresponds to amino acid 163 of SEQ ID NO:3, was mistranslated in Figure 4 of the Steeg et al. reference as Tyr; the correct translation of codon "tgg" is Trp. The correct translation is included in SEQ ID NO:3.

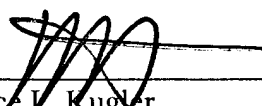
Applicants enclose a declaration, executed by the undersigned practitioner representing the applicant, stating that the amendatory material consists of the same material incorporated by reference in the present application. See MPEP §608.01(p)(I)(A)(2), and In re Hawkins, 486 F.2d 569, 179 USPQ 157 (CCPA 1973); In re Hawkins, 486 F.2d 579, 179 USPQ 163 (CCPA 1973); In re Hawkins, 486 F.2d 577, 179 USPQ 167 (CCPA 1973). Applicants submit that, under MPEP §2163.07(b), this amendment does not introduce any new matter and removes the incorporation by reference objected to by the Examiner.

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Respectfully submitted,

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This application contains sequence disclosures that are encompassed by the definitions for nucleotide and/or amino acid sequences set forth in 37 CFR § 1.821(a)(1) and (a)(2). However, this application fails to comply with the requirements of 37 CFR §§ 1.821 through 1.825 for the reason(s) set forth on the attached Notice To Comply With Requirements For Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence And/Or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures. No CRF or paper copies providing the sequences for disclosed SEQ ID Nos. have been filed with the instant (or related parent) application.

APPLICANT IS GIVEN A **ONE MONTH EXTENDABLE PERIOD** WITHIN WHICH TO COMPLY WITH THE SEQUENCE RULES, 37 CFR §§ 1.821 - 1.825. Failure to comply with these requirements will result in ABANDONMENT of the application under 37 CFR §1.821(g). Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR § 1.136. In no case may an applicant extend the period for response beyond the six month statutory period. Applicant is requested to return a copy of the attached Notice to Comply with the response.

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Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to **Jane Zara** whose telephone number is **(571) 272-0765**. If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, John LeGuyader, can be reached on (571) 272-0760. Any inquiry regarding this application should be directed to the patent analyst, Katrina Turner, whose telephone number is (571) 272-0564. Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application should be directed to the Group receptionist whose telephone number is (703) 308-0196.

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The nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence disclosure contained in this application does not comply with the requirements for such a disclosure as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.821 - 1.825 for the following reason(s):



- ☒ 1. This application clearly fails to comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.821-1.825. Applicant's attention is directed to these regulations, published at 114 OG 29, May 15, 1990 and at 55 FR 18230, May 1, 1990.
- ☒ 2. This application does not contain, as a separate part of the disclosure on paper copy, a "Sequence Listing" as required by 37 C.F.R. 1.821(c).
- ☒ 3. A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has not been submitted as required by 37 C.F.R. 1.821(e).
- ☐ 4. A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has been submitted. However, the content of the computer readable form does not comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.822 and/or 1.823, as indicated on the attached copy of the marked-up "Raw Sequence Listing."
- ☐ 5. The computer readable form that has been filed with this application has been found to be damaged and/or unreadable as indicated on the attached CRF Diskette Problem Report. A Substitute computer readable form must be submitted as required by 37 C.F.R. 1.825(d).
- ☐ 6. The paper copy of the "Sequence Listing" is not the same as the computer readable form of the "Sequence Listing" as required by 37 C.F.R. 1.821(e).
- ☐ 7. Other: _____

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- ☒ An initial or substitute paper copy of the "Sequence Listing", as well as an amendment directing its entry into the specification.
- ☒ A statement that the content of the paper and computer readable copies are the same and, where applicable, include no new matter, as required by 37 C.F.R. 1.821(e) or 1.821(f) or 1.821(g) or 1.825(b) or 1.825(d).

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